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PRESIDENUS COMMISSION ON EXECUTIVE EXCHANGE

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THE WHITE HOUSE August 5, 1981

Dear Mr. Casey:

As part of his new emphasis on strengthened cooperation ketween the private and public sectors, the President has selected the President's Executive Exchange Program as a key vehicle in this effort.

The purpose of the Executive Exchange, as you know, is to ffer executives from the Pederal Covernment and business a unique opportunity to learn from and to contribute their expertise to the opposite pector. The work experience is designed to give the executives a whole and realistic perspective of the potential and constraints of the their sector and to enhance their abilities to future management when they return to their sponsoring agency or firm at the end of the regram year. The work experience is complimented by an extensive of a tion program.

The Federal side of the Program has prospered and, because of the ined selection and placement procedures, attracts superior nominees. As ause of the complexity of the Civil Service System, however, special problems exist: in particular, re-entry to Government at the end of the Exchange Year.

In an effort to insure proper recognition of nomination and participation in the Program, we ask you designate Deputy Director for Administration, Harry Fitzwater, as Advisor to those examinives participating in the Program from your Agency. Mr. Fitzwater would be asked to support further nomination efforts and to facilitate resentry.

I look forward to hearing from Mr. Fitzwater of his willing est to accept this responsibility.

Sincerely,

June G. Walker

Executive Director

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